

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A spread mat, comprising:

a porous mat body containing stacked and looped resin filaments with pores formed between the filaments;

an adhesive agent spray-formed on a front surface of the porous mat body such that the adhesive agent is attached to front portions of the filaments; and

crushed particulate material attached to the front surface of the mat body through the an-adhesive agent,

wherein the crushed particulate material includes particles;

wherein the particles are attached to the front portions of the filaments through the adhesive agent;

wherein the particles are of from 15 to 80 meshes and has-are distributed on the front surface of the porous mat body in a density-range of from 50 to 150 g/m², and

wherein the adhesive agent is a mixture of a polyvinyl chloride-based paste resin, a polyester-based plasticizer, a stabilizer and a diluent.

2. (Previously Presented) The spread mat as defined in claim 1, wherein the crushed particulate material is formed by a hard synthetic resin material.

3. (Cancelled)